



## JIN goal

The goal of the JIN, set out in RCW §10.98.200, is to “...develop and maintain, in a cost-effective manner, a statewide network of criminal justice information that enables sharing and integrated delivery of justice information maintained in the state’s independent information systems.”

### *Objectives*

RCW §10.98.200 provides a framework that will guide JIN as it works toward accomplishing its goal. It was the intent of the Legislature that creation of a statewide network for sharing justice information would achieve the following:

1. maximize data and technology standards;
2. reduce redundant data collection and input;
3. reduce paper exchanges;
4. improve work flow;
5. provide complete, timely and accurate information to the justice community; and
6. maintain security and privacy rights.

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The job of protection is shared among these many defined checkpoints. By taking advantage of them all, we need not depend on any one point in the system to do the whole job. The challenge is to see the common problem across agencies and functions and develop a conceptual framework – an architecture...These problems should be addressed systemically, not in an ad hoc, fragmented way.

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The 9/11 Commission, *Final Report of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the United States*, July 2004.

